



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 423

LCO No. 2484



Referred to Committee on PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Introduced by:
(PD)

AN ACT CONCERNING MUNICIPAL FIRE APPARATUS SAFETY AND TESTING.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2016*) Each municipal and
2 volunteer fire department shall maintain the pump and aerial
3 components of such department's fire apparatus in compliance with
4 the inspection, maintenance and testing requirements of standard 1911
5 of the National Fire Protection Association.

6 Sec. 2. Section 14-19 of the general statutes is repealed and the
7 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2016*):

8 The commissioner shall [, at the request of the chief of any regular
9 or volunteer fire department or the person in charge of any organized
10 civil preparedness auxiliary fire company,] register, without charge,
11 any motor vehicle used as fire apparatus by such department or
12 company and shall issue a certificate of registration and number plates
13 bearing the words "fire apparatus" therefor.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>October 1, 2016</i>	New section
Sec. 2	<i>October 1, 2016</i>	14-19

Statement of Purpose:

To ensure that fire departments maintain fire apparatus in compliance with National Fire Protection Association standards.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]